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## PRESS RELEASE



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## **ROAD CLOSURE - CEDAR LANE ROAD**

Beginning Wednesday, October 22, 2014, Duit Construction, under contract with the Oklahoma Department of Transportation, will be installing the underground drainage box and raising the elevation of the roadway east of 24<sup>th</sup> Avenue on Cedar Lane Road. This work will require the temporary closure of Cedar Lane Road between Black Locust Place and Black Locust Court. Signs will be placed to detour the traveling public around the construction using Post Oak Road and 36<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE. Local access to nearby neighborhoods will be provided to residents within the closure area. Weather permitting; this work should be completed in January 2015.

The Cedar Lane Road Widening Project is a \$9.8 million street improvement project. When the project is completed, Cedar Lane Road will be widened to four lanes with 5-foot bike lanes adjacent to the curb, the intersection of 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE and Cedar Lane Road will be widened and signalized with dual left turn lanes from 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE onto eastbound Cedar Lane Road, the railroad at-grade crossing will become a quite zone crossing, and 5-foot sidewalks will extend the length of the project on both sides of Cedar Lane Road. The Oklahoma Department of Transportation is administering the construction of the project on behalf of the City of Norman because federal transportation funds are involved in the project.

Additional questions may be directed to Mr. Josh Malwick, City of Norman Capital Projects Engineer, at (405)366-5454.

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